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E.O. 11652: XGDS1
TAGS: ESTC, COCOM, GW, UR
SUBJ: GERMAN DISK PACKS TO USSR - IL 1565/72

REFS: A) COCOM DOC. (8) 185, B) STATE 084188

1. ON APRIL 3 USDEL RESERVED ON THE SUBJECT CASE PROVIDING THE INFORMATION IN REF B. THE GERMAN DEL HAS NOW RESPONDED TO THE U.S. STATEMENT AS FOLLOWS:

2. "THE UNITED STATES RESERVE ON THE GERMAN REQUEST IS BASED ON THE ERRONEOUS OPINION THAT THE EC 5058 DISK DRIVES HAVE A 7.25 MBYTE CAPACITY. IT IS TRUE THAT THE EC 5052 TYPE DISK DRIVES HAVE A 7.25 MBYTE CAPACITY BUT NOT THE 5058 TYPE DISK DRIVES.

THE CAPACITY DEPENDS ON THE TRACK FORMAT EMPLOYED BY THE INDIVIDUAL COMPUTER. IN THE EC 5058 SERIES E.G., THE CAPACITY IS 29.17 MBYTE, WHILE IN CASE OF DIRECT ATTACHMENT WITHOUT CENTRAL UNIT, THE CAPACITY IS 25 MBYTE.

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THE GERMAN AUTHORITIES CAN, THEREFORE, NOT SHARE THE UNITED STATES OPINION OF AN EXISTING DISCREPANCY. THEY WOULD BE GRATEFUL FOR WITHDRAWAL OF THE UNITED STATES RESERVE AND AND APPROVAL OF THEIR REQUEST."

3. ACTION REQUESTED: RECONSIDERATION OF CASE AND FINAL U.S. POSITION.

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